DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damages done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy, sugarcane, ragi, avare, thogari and groundnut are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Groundnut and til in parts of Bangalore and Kankanhalli and potatoes in parts of Devanhalli Taluk.

Crops Sown.—Horsegram in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote and Kankanhalli Taluks. Transplanting of paddy in parts of Dodballapur, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks.

10. Good.

11. Cattle generally healthy.
Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Weeding operations and reaping of potatoes and onions in some parts of the Sidlaghatta Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Ragi, avare, togari, same, sajje, jola, sugarcane, groundnut, til, paddy, potatoes and onions.

Crops Sown.—Horsegram in parts of Goribidnur, Srinivaspur, Chintamani and Bowringpet Taluks.

Crops Harvested.—Potatoes, onions and groundnut in Sidlaghatta and Chikballapur Taluks; giddaragi in Goribidnur Taluk.

10. Generally good except for plague which is reported to be prevailing in a few villages in Chintamani Taluk and in six villages in Chikballapur Taluk. Precautionary measures are taken to prevent the spread.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District.
Water and fodder are available throughout the District.
Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
The situation has improved by the recent rains.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Horsegram in parts of Tumkur Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, jola in parts of Sira Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi, avare, togari, groundnut, horsegram, sugarcane, gingelly, castor, jola haraka, navane, baje, and chillies are reported to be in a good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Nati ragi in parts of Sira and Pavagada Taluks; sugarcane, til and jola in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Water and fodder are available.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of Blackquarter in parts of Tumkur and Sira Taluks and Anthrax in parts of Madhugiri Taluk. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are reported to have been addressed in the matter.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy, ragi, horsegram, thogari, avare, greengram, castor, halasande, blackgram, chillies and mulberry are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds Sown.—Horsegram in Mysore and Hunsur Taluks and Periyapatna Sub-Taluk; hutchellu in Hunsur Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in Krishnarajnagar and Heggaddevankote Taluks; jola in Gundlupet Taluk.

In Chamarajnagar Taluk, rain is very urgently wanted.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

Food stocks are available in sufficient quantity.

It is reported that rain is wanted for standing crops in Nanjangud, Chamarajnagar Krishnarajpet and Nagamangala Taluks. Tanks in Krishnarajpet Taluk have not received water. It is reported that the labouring classes in the Nagamangala Taluk are going out as usual in search of labour to Bhadravati and the Nilgiris.

11. Water and fodder are available but some difficulty for fodder is reported to have been felt in villages of Chamarajnagar Taluk where jola and ragi crops failed for want of rain.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for prevalence of Foot and Mouth disease in Madrahalli of Gundlupet Taluk. The Superintendent of Civil Veterinary Department has been written to in the matter.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in the Belur, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; paddy in the Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; Ragi in the Belur, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; thogari in the Hassan, and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; groundnut and chillies in the Arsikere Taluk are reported to be in good condition. Standing crops are still in need of rains in Arkalgud, Belur, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in the Hassan, Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; sugarcane in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in all the taluks.
Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Transplantation of paddy is going on in Nagar Taluk.

Seeds Sown.—Horsegram is being sown in the Shimoga Taluk and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane and paddy throughout the district; ragi in the taluks of Shimoga, Honnali and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; groundnut and jola in the Shimoga Taluk are reported to be in good condition. Kolcroga to areca crop is still prevailing in the taluks of Tirthahalli, Nagar and Sagar. Spraying operations are reported to have been undertaken to check the spread of the disease. Rainfall is needed in the taluks of Shikarpur, Sorab, Nagar, and Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be fair.
The rains are wanted in the maidan taluks.
Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
Food grains are available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except in Santhebennur of Chennagiri Taluk where the cattle are suffering from Doddaroga. Some unknown disease is prevalent in the villages of Bydur and Hoskote of the Nagar Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector is reported to be taking action in the matter.
Fodder and water are available.

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KADUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Crops Sown.—Horsegram in Kadur Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, coffee, ragi, paddy, wheat, garlic, jola and til are reported to be in good condition. It is reported that Koleroga prevails on the areca crop in Koppa Taluk and Sringeri Sub-Taluk. In some parts of Kadur, the crops are fading for want of rain.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in Chikmagalur Taluk; coriander in Kadur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are generally fair.

Food grains are available and their prices remain steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the district.

Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks in the District.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

State of Standing Crops.—Standing crops are reported to be in a fair condition except in the taluks of Chellakere and Molakalmuru, where they are reported to be withering for want of rain. Rain is urgently required to the standing crops except in Davangere Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Til and groundnut in Holalkere Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district.

Water and fodder are available except in some parts of Chitaldrug, Chellakere and Molakalmuru Taluks, where fodder scarcity is reported to be prevailing.

The unfenced portion of Kamara Kaval in Molakalmuru Taluk, the Jogimatti and Nirthadi Forests in Chitaldrug Taluk, have been thrown open for free grazing for certain villages affected by want of fodder.

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